## MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, JUNE 18, 1936.

A total of 11 attacks with 4 deaths from Plague was returned during the week against 6 attacks with 1 death in the previous week. The Cities continued to remain free from the disease. Comparative figures for the corresponding week in 1935 and 1934 were 3 attacks with nil death and 13 attacks with 8 deaths, respectively.

A total of 32 attacks with 13 deaths from Small-pox was reported from (for the whole State) one village in each of Bagepalli, Srinivaspur, Yelandur, Koratagere and Turuvekere Taluks; two villages from Sagar Taluk; and from Sagar and Hole-Narasipur Towns and from Kolar Gold Field Area.

Three attacks with nil death from Cholera was reported from one village in Sagar Taluk.

One fatal case from Influenza was reported from Bangalore City.

The State remained free from Relapsing Fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 78 (22 in Hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 20·15 (14·47 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 27·13 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered—2 under Typhoid, 3 under other fevers, 8 under Phthisis, 7 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 58 under all other causes.

During the week, the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, returned 78 deaths (14 in Hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 28·56 (28·46 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 31·46 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were—Broncho-Pneumonia 3, Pneumonia 10, Other Fevers 1, Phthisis 2, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 6, and all other causes 56.

The total mortality for Mysore City was 40 (7 in Hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 17·40 (13·96 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 16·12 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were—Malaria 2, other Fevers 2, Phthisis 3, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 6, and all other causes 27.

There were 54 deaths (8 in hospitals) from all causes in Kolar Gold Field area equivalent to a calculated death-rate of 33·54 (28·56 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against the annual ratio of 24·73 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 1 under Malaria, 5 under other Fevers, 8 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa, and 40 under all other causes.

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## OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Statement of wholesale and retail prices in Bangalore City for the week ending Saturday the 20th June 1936.

| Food Articles | Quality | Seers | Lbs. per bag | Rate | Market report | Retail prices |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Food Grains and Pulses— | | | | Rs. a. p. | | |
| Rice | Guntoor, per palla | 100 | 246 | 12 12 0 to 14 4 0 | ... | 7 to 7½ seers per rupee. |
| | Pattasampanahalli Sanna, per palla. | 100 | 246 | ..... | No stock | |
| | Dharapur, per palla | 100 | 246 | ..... | No stock | |
| | Mysore Raddi, per palla. | 100 | 246 | 10 0 0 to 11 8 0 | ... | 8½ to 10 ,, |
| | Alubbalu, per palla | 100 | 246 | ..... | Do | |
| Ragi | Duyam (Black), per cart-load. | 640 | ... | 42 8 0 to 43 8 0 | ... | 14½ to 15 ,, |
| | Superior (Red), per cart-load. | 640 | ... | 44 0 0 | ... | |
| Tur | Gulberga | ... | ... | ..... | ... | 10½ to 12½ ,, |
| Tur (Dal) | ..... | ... | ... | ..... | ... | 7 to 9 ,, |
| Avare | ..... | ... | ... | ..... | ... | 7 to 8½ ,, |
| Avare (Dal) | ..... | ... | ... | ..... | ... | 6 to 7 ,, |
| Oils and Oil Seeds— | | | | | | |
| Oils | Sweet oil | ... | 26½ | 5 0 0 | ... | Re. 0-2-3 to 0-2-0 per seer. |
| | Castor oil | ... | 28 | 4 6 0 | ... | |
| Oil seeds | Gingelly or Til seeds, per candy. | 255 | ... | 85 0 0 to 86 0 0 | | |
| | Castor seed, per candy | 255 | ... | 25 0 0 to 26 0 0 | | |
| Other Food Articles— | | | | | | |
| Sugar | White Bura | ... | 25 | 8 8 0 | ... | Re. 0-6-6 to 0-7-0 per viss. |
| | Kolar Bura | ... | 25 | 8 4 0 | ... | |
| Jaggery | Achu | ... | 23 | 1 0 0 to 1 4 0 | ... | Re. 0-2-6 to 0-3-0 per viss. |
| | Oondo | ... | 28 | 1 0 0 to 1 4 0 | ... | |
| Ghee | Superior (Mandya) | ... | 26½ | 16 0 0 | ... | Rs. 2-4-0 per viss. |
| Salt | Bombay Salt (Black) | 105 | ... | 7 0 0 | ... | 14 seers per rupee. |